

Dear Mamma

Your letter written Sunday came tonight.
I was glad to get Donald's letter there was
quite a good W. on it. I noticed you asked
several questions so I'll proceed to answer them.
I have not made any sittings for money yet but
am going to make my land lady soon & I may
get an order. I'm going to make Minnie Steins &
Mrs Harpster too. There are only three classes
a week & the rest of the time you're supposed to
make negatives & do various problems given out.
I have been trying to make a Carbon Transparency.
I have had two Carbons on paper accepted & one
hand sensitized Blue print. I have made
some copies of those old pictures Grandma sent me.
I'm going to get some things ready to send you soon.
They're not at all wonderful but I guess they
get by. The sec. of the school & I went down to the
Times Theatre last nite & saw Charlots Review. It
is all high class Vaudeville & awfully good. It
was the first time I'd been in the theatre District
in the evening. You can't imagine the crowds of
people on the street around 8 P.M. & also at 11
when the shows are out. It's like the Fair Store Sat
P.M. Aunt Maud has moved into the cottage & I
guess Max is coming home for the summer. I
did not send Phelps anything on his
birthday but wrote & explained & am going to
send something soon.

I have not written Marie yet I hate to ask
her to go to all the trouble of writing etc. So I've
been writing to Camp heads. No one seems very
keen about having my services so I guess I'll
write Marie anyway. Sometimes the school
has requests for a Camp Photographer & if they
get any this year they'll recommend me. Last year
a camp wanted one & a girl from the school went.
They paid all her expenses to Minnesota & she
did Kodak finishing etc in camp & that was
hers. & besides they gave her \$200. I can't help
but think how wonderful that would be for me
I could come home pretty cheaply then. So
I'm hoping something will sort of turn up. It
is raining here & awfully cold. I believe it's
much colder here than in Ia or Neb. So
much water around makes it damp too. Tell
Dean & Marian I'll try & write to them
soon I sure am busy & I try to read
Photographic stuff evenings. I hope
you will wait until everyone else has their
hair bobbed before you do yours.

Love
Mildred



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